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REMARKS

Applicant gratefully acknowledges the Examiner's telephone call with Applicant's agent Bing Ai regarding the response dated December 13, 2002 on February 11, 2003.

The specification has been amended to state the relationship of the present reissue application with another pending reissue application and to correct a typographical error in Column 7. No new matter is added.

Claims 58, 66, 75, and 79 have been amended to obviate the rejections under 35 USC 112, second paragraph and 345 USC 251. The support for the amendment can be found, e.g., in Column 7, lines 24-27 in the original patent No. 5,978,125. No new matter is added. Therefore, each rejection has been addressed and resolved by this supplemental response.

In addition, Applicant has surrendered the original patent No. 5,978,125 on January 15, 2003 in response to an Ex Parte Quayle Action mailed July 19, 2002 in the copending reissue application No. 10/002,947. The surrendered original patent No. 5,978,125 was received by the Patent Office on January 21, 2003.

Thus, there is no outstanding issue remaining in the present reissue application. Accordingly, all pending claims,

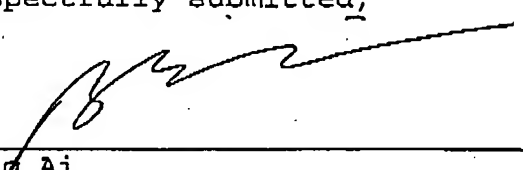
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Claims 31-80, are in full condition for allowance and an official notice to that effect is respectfully solicited.


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Respectfully submitted,

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